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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
2007–2008 School Year Reports

Dear School Board Members and School Personnel:

The Maine Educational Assessment (MEA) is the State's measure of student progress in achieving the State standards known as *Learning Results*, adopted by the Maine Legislature in 1997. These *Learning Results* established goals for what all students should know and be able to do at certain times in their school careers and are the basis for Grade Level/Span Expectations, which describe the assessment standards for each grade. The MEA is administered to students in all grades 3 through 8 to meet state assessment requirements and the requirements of the federal *No Child Left Behind Act*.

The 2007-2008 MEA summary reports contain the results of student achievement in reading and mathematics at all grades, science and technology at grades 4 and 8, and writing at grade 5 based on achievement standards set in 2006 and disaggregated by student and school characteristics. This report, together with MEA individual student and subject-specific class analysis reports, provides support for use in program evaluation and planning.

MEA results reflect scores based on test questions that are taken in common by the approximately 15,000 students in each grade level. Students' scores in each content area are based on answers to a combination of multiple-choice questions and questions that require students to construct an answer. The grade 5 writing reports provide information on a student's ability to respond to a prompt measuring narrative writing. More information about the design of the MEA is available at www.maine.gov/education/mea/index.htm.

I look forward to working with you in support of our continued efforts to improve the quality and effectiveness of the instructional opportunities designed to help all students achieve the high standards of the *Learning Results* and demonstrate that achievement through performance on the Maine Educational Assessment.

Sincerely,

Susan A. Gendron
Commissioner of Education



School Report Grade 5

Test Date: March 2008
Code: 12631784
SAU: MSAD 71
School: Sea Road School

Contents of the Report

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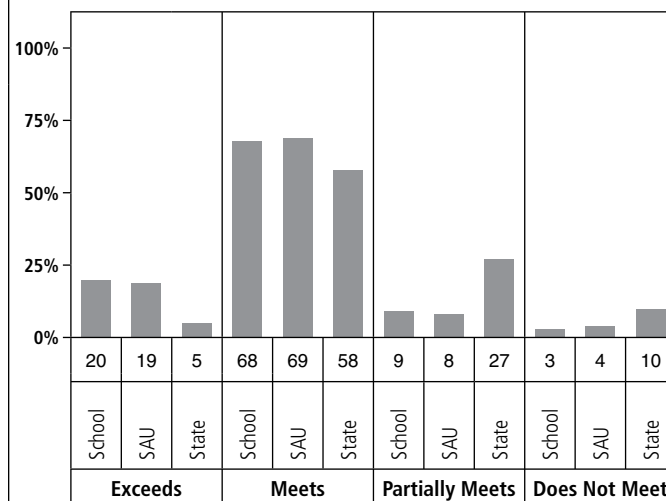
SUMMARY OF SCORES

Test Date: March 2008
Grade: 5
SAU: MSAD 71
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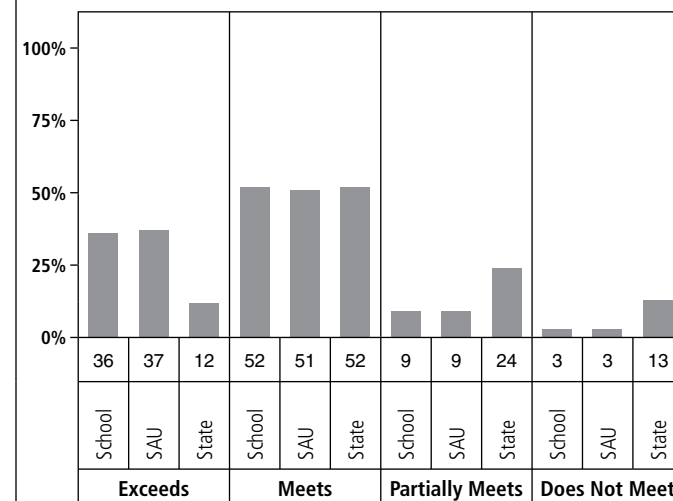
Summary of School, SAU, and State Scores

Year	Average Scaled Score		
	School	SAU	State
ELA – Reading			
2005–2006	555	554	544
2006–2007	553	553	544
2007–2008	552	551	545
Cum. Avg. *	553	553	544
Mathematics			
2005–2006	559	559	543
2006–2007	558	558	546
2007–2008	557	557	546
Cum. Avg. *	558	558	545
ELA – Writing			
2005–2006			
2006–2007	546	546	541
2007–2008	542	542	538
Cum. Avg. *			

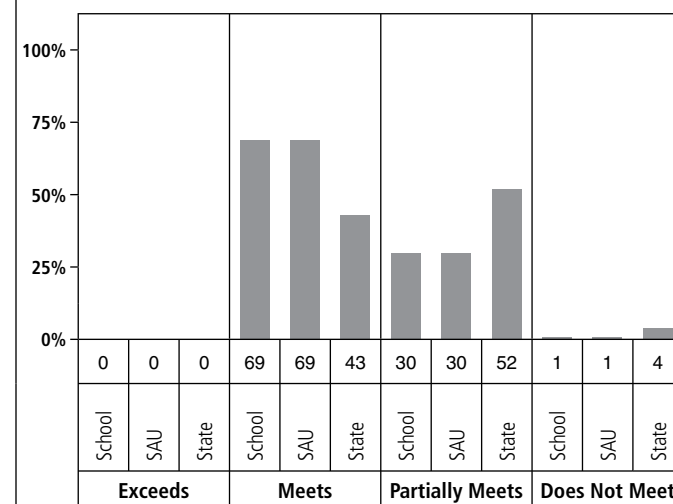
ELA – READING



MATHEMATICS



ELA – WRITING



*Cumulative averages are weighted, i.e., the scaled scores are averaged proportionally based on the numbers of students in each year.

SUMMARY OF STUDENT PARTICIPATION

Test Date: March 2008
Grade: 5
SAU: MSAD 71
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CATEGORY OF PARTICIPATION	Enrollment ¹ during testing window						CONTENT AREA PARTICIPATION ²																	
	School			SAU			ELA-Reading						Mathematics						ELA-Writing					
	n		%		n		n		%		n		n		%		n		n		%		n	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Total number of students	149	100	172	100	14240	100	149	100	171	100	14157	100	148	100	170	100	14156	100					148	100
Ethnicity African American/Black	0	0	0	0	404	3	0	0	0	0	396	98	0	0	0	0	398	99					0	0
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0	0	0	0	118	1	0	0	0	0	118	100	0	0	0	0	118	100					0	0
Asian or Pacific Islander	1	1	1	1	201	1	1	100	1	100	199	99	1	100	1	100	199	99					1	100
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	178	1	0	0	0	0	170	97	0	0	0	0	174	99					0	0
Caucasian/White	148	99	171	99	13339	94	148	100	170	100	13274	100	147	100	169	100	13267	100					147	100
Not Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					0	0
Identified disability	34	23	41	24	2555	18	34	100	41	100	2528	99	33	100	40	100	2526	99					33	100
Current LEP	1	1	1	1	337	2	1	100	1	100	328	97	1	100	1	100	334	99					1	100
Economically disadvantaged	23	15	25	15	5574	39	23	100	25	100	5528	99	22	100	24	100	5531	99					22	100
Migrant	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	5	100	0	0	0	0	5	100					0	0

MODE OF PARTICIPATION ³	ELA-Reading						Mathematics						ELA-Writing					
	School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State	
	n		%		n		n		%		n		n		%		n	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Participation without accommodations	115	77	134	78	11042	78	115	77	134	78	11006	77					115	77
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	2	2	7	5	396	4	2	2	7	5	404	4					2	2
LEP	0	0	0	0	144	1	0	0	0	0	141	1					0	0
504 plan	0	0	0	0	134	1	0	0	0	0	133	1					0	0
Participation with accommodations	34	23	36	21	2974	21	33	22	35	20	3014	21					33	22
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	32	94	33	92	1996	67	31	94	32	91	1986	66					31	94
LEP	1	3	1	3	175	6	1	3	1	3	189	6					1	3
504 plan	0	0	0	0	76	3	0	0	0	0	77	3					0	0
Other	1	3	2	6	766	26	1	3	2	6	801	27					1	3
Participation through alternate assessment (PAAP)	0	0	1	1	136	1	0	0	1	1	136	1					0	0
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	0	0	1	100	136	100	0	0	1	100	136	100					0	0
LEP	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	0	0	0	4	3					0	0
504 plan	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1					0	0
Approved non-participation in reading – 1st year LEP	0	0	0	0	5	0												
Approved non-participation – special consideration	0	0	1	1	19	0	1	1	2	1	23	0					1	1
Non-participation – other	0	0	0	0	64	0	0	0	0	0	61	0					0	0

¹ Percents are the percentage of students enrolled in each participation category.

² Percents are the percentage of students, including those who participated through alternate assessment (PAAP), who participated in the content area.

³ Percents are the percentage of students in each content area by mode.

ELA–READING RESULTS

Test Date: March 2008
Grade: 5
SAU: MSAD 71
School: Sea Road School

ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL DEFINITIONS		STUDENTS AT EACH ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL					
		School		SAU		State	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
Exceeds the Standards – The student’s work demonstrates the ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level by drawing in-depth inferences, analyzing texts for subtle clues, synthesizing information across texts, and using his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to make deeper connections within or across texts to increase comprehension. (scaled score 561–580)	2005-2006	33	23	36	20	721	5
	2006-2007	22	18	33	20	702	5
	2007-2008	30	20	32	19	659	5
	Cum. Total*	85	20	101	20	2082	5
Meets the Standards – The student’s work demonstrates the ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level by drawing inferences, summarizing main ideas and providing supporting details, connecting ideas within and across texts, and using his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to increase comprehension. (scaled score 541–560)	2005-2006	97	67	128	70	7571	53
	2006-2007	89	73	118	72	7730	55
	2007-2008	101	68	117	69	8195	58
	Cum. Total*	287	69	363	70	23496	56
Partially Meets the Standards – The student’s work demonstrates an inconsistent ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level. The student’s ability to draw inferences, summarize main ideas and provide supporting details, connect ideas within and across texts, and use his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices varies depending on the texts. (scaled score 531–540)	2005-2006	15	10	19	10	4343	30
	2006-2007	11	9	12	7	4182	30
	2007-2008	14	9	14	8	3800	27
	Cum. Total*	40	10	45	9	12325	29
Does Not Meet the Standards – The student’s work demonstrates a limited ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level. The student’s responses are often vague or incorrect leaving the impression that the student found it difficult to draw inferences, summarize main ideas and provide supporting details, connect ideas within and across texts, or use his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to support comprehension. (scaled score 500–530)	2005-2006	0	0	0	0	1628	11
	2006-2007	0	0	0	0	1419	10
	2007-2008	4	3	7	4	1362	10
	Cum. Total*	4	1	7	1	4409	10

Learning Results Content Standard Cluster	Number of Points Possible		Average Points Attained (Number and Percent)					
			School		SAU		State	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total Reading Cluster	48	100	34.2	71.3	34.0	70.8	29.2	60.8
Literary Text	24	50	17.6	73.3	17.5	72.9	15.0	62.5
Informational Text	24	50	16.6	69.2	16.5	68.8	14.2	59.2

The Maine *Learning Results* reading cluster includes Content Standards A (Process of Reading), B (Literature and Culture), and D (Informational Texts). The MEA assesses students’ reading skills based on questions related to two types of reading passages: literary and informational. Passages include both long and short texts, selected from developmentally appropriate works. Items on the MEA measure Grade Level Expectations, based on Maine’s 1997 *Learning Results*, which can be found at <http://www.maine.gov/education/lsalt/gles.htm>.

ELA-READING RESULTS

(CONTINUED)

Test Date: March 2008
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REPORTING CATEGORIES	School										SAU						State					
	Tested	E		M		P		D		Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		N	%	%	%	%		N	%	%	%	%	
All Students	149	30	20	101	68	14	9	4	3	552	170	19	69	8	4	551	14016	5	58	27	10	545
Ethnicity																						
African American/Black	0										0						388	1	39	34	26	538
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0										0						116	0	44	45	11	541
Asian or Pacific Islander	1										1						197	5	64	23	8	546
Hispanic	0										0						167	2	47	37	14	542
Caucasian/White	148	30	20	100	68	14	9	4	3	552	169	19	69	8	4	551	13148	5	59	27	9	545
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Identified disability																						
Yes	34	1	3	20	59	9	26	4	12	542	40	5	55	23	18	542	2392	0	26	42	31	536
No	115	29	25	81	70	5	4	0	0	555	130	23	73	4	0	554	11624	6	65	24	5	547
Current LEP																						
Yes	1										1						319	1	36	34	29	537
No	148	30	20	100	68	14	9	4	3	552	169	19	69	8	4	551	13697	5	59	27	9	545
Economically disadvantaged																						
Yes	23	0	0	15	65	6	26	2	9	543	25	0	64	24	12	543	5454	2	48	35	15	541
No	126	30	24	86	68	8	6	2	2	553	145	22	70	6	3	553	8562	7	65	22	6	547
Migrant																						
Yes	0										0						5	0	100	0	0	549
No	149	30	20	101	68	14	9	4	3	552	170	19	69	8	4	551	14011	5	58	27	10	545
Gender																						
Female	65	18	28	43	66	2	3	2	3	555	76	25	68	3	4	554	6766	7	62	24	8	546
Male	84	12	14	58	69	12	14	2	2	549	94	14	69	13	4	549	7250	3	56	30	12	543
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Title 1A targeted program																						
Yes	0										1						1751	1	35	44	21	538
No	149	30	20	101	68	14	9	4	3	552	169	19	69	8	4	552	12265	5	62	25	8	546
Gifted/talented program																						
Yes	0										1						464	27	71	2	1	557
No	149	30	20	101	68	14	9	4	3	552	169	18	69	8	4	551	13552	4	58	28	10	544

E = Exceeds the Standards M = Meets the Standards P = Partially Meets the Standards D = Does Not Meet the Standards

NOTE: Some achievement level results have been left blank because fewer than five (5) students were tested. N = Number

ELA–READING RESULTS

(QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS)

Test Date: March 2008
Grade: 5
SAU: MSAD 71
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QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS	School										SAU						State					
	Students in Each Category	E		M		P		D		Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
		%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N			%	%	%	%			%	%	%	%	
How much homework do you do on school nights? A. none B. less than one hour C. one to two hours D. more than two hours	1 41 58 1	0 13 17 0	0 22 20 0	1 34 64 1	100 57 75 100	0 9 4 0	0 15 5 0	0 4 0 0	0 7 0 0	544 550 554 544	1 45 54 1	0 18 20 0	100 63 73 100	0 12 4 0	0 7 2 0	544 550 553 544	5 66 26 2	2 5 5 3	42 60 61 42	34 27 26 32	22 9 8 23	540 545 546 540
How well do the questions that you have just been given on this MEA test match what you have learned in school about reading? A. The questions on the test match what I have learned in reading class. B. They match some of what I have learned. C. They match just a little of what I have learned. D. There is no match.	40 47 12 1	18 12 0 0	31 18 0 0	36 51 11 2	61 75 65 100	5 4 4 0	8 6 24 0	0 1 2 0	0 1 12 0	555 552 543 554	39 49 11 1	29 16 0 0	63 75 63 100	8 5 21 0	0 4 16 0	555 551 543 554	31 55 11 3	7 4 2 1	63 61 42 30	23 27 37 38	7 8 19 31	547 545 540 536
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in reading? A. very good B. good C. fair D. poor	37 53 10 0	18 11 1 0	34 14 7 0	34 52 12 0	64 68 80 0	1 10 2 0	2 13 13 0	0 4 0 0	0 5 0 0	557 549 547 0	35 54 11 0	33 13 6 0	64 69 83 0	2 11 11 0	2 7 0 0	556 549 547 0	30 53 15 2	10 3 1 0	68 59 41 23	16 29 40 38	6 9 18 39	549 544 539 534
How difficult was the reading part of this test? A. harder than my regular schoolwork B. about the same as my regular schoolwork C. easier than my regular schoolwork	13 71 16	5 24 1	26 23 4	12 69 18	63 67 78	1 9 3	5 9 13	1 1 1	5 1 4	551 553 547	16 69 16	23 22 4	62 69 77	4 8 12	12 1 8	550 553 547	17 67 16	3 5 6	45 62 59	32 26 26	19 7 9	541 546 545
How difficult were the reading passages on this test? A. Most of the passages were more difficult than what I normally read. B. Most of the passages were about the same as what I normally read. C. Most of the passages were easier than what I normally read.	8 60 33	0 16 14	0 18 29	8 61 30	73 70 63	2 9 2	18 10 4	1 1 2	9 1 4	544 551 555	8 59 33	0 16 29	77 72 62	15 9 4	8 3 5	544 551 555	13 56 31	1 3 9	33 60 68	42 29 18	25 8 6	537 545 548
How much time do you spend reading at home each day? A. more than one hour B. 20 minutes to an hour C. less than 20 minutes D. I rarely read at home.	32 56 9 4	10 16 3 1	22 20 23 20	30 58 6 4	67 73 46 80	5 3 2 0	11 4 15 0	0 2 2 0	0 3 15 0	554 553 546 550	31 53 10 6	20 21 18 10	66 73 59 80	10 3 12 0	4 2 12 10	552 553 548 547	18 56 12 13	8 5 2 1	64 62 50 44	20 25 32 38	8 7 15 17	547 546 542 540
How many pages do you read in school and to complete homework assignments? A. five or fewer pages B. six to ten pages C. eleven or more pages	11 18 71	0 4 25	0 15 24	8 20 72	50 77 70	4 2 6	25 8 6	4 0 0	25 0 0	539 550 554	10 18 72	0 13 23	47 80 71	24 7 5	29 0 2	538 551 554	26 28 47	3 3 7	51 59 63	32 28 23	14 9 7	542 544 546
Optional school/SAU question A. B. C. D.	0 50 50 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 1 100 100	0 0 100 100	1 0 0 0	100 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	536 542 542 542	0 50 50 0	0 0 0 0	0 100 100 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	536 542 542 542						

MATHEMATICS RESULTS

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ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL DEFINITIONS		STUDENTS AT EACH ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL					
		School		SAU		State	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
Exceeds the Standards – The student’s work demonstrates in-depth understanding of essential concepts in mathematics, including the ability to make multiple connections among central ideas. The student’s responses demonstrate the ability to synthesize information; analyze and solve difficult problems, including developing and implementing strategies, efficiently and accurately performing procedures, and recording and justifying solutions; and explain complex concepts. (scaled score 561–580)	2005-2006	65	45	80	44	1415	10
	2006-2007	46	38	54	33	1711	12
	2007-2008	53	36	62	37	1617	12
	Cum. Total*	164	40	196	38	4743	11
Meets the Standards – The student’s work demonstrates a general understanding of essential concepts in mathematics, including the ability to make connections among central ideas. The student’s responses demonstrate the ability to analyze and solve problems including developing and implementing strategies, to perform procedures, and to record and explain solutions and concepts. The student’s work may contain minor errors. (scaled score 541–560)	2005-2006	66	46	84	46	6503	45
	2006-2007	61	50	93	57	6778	48
	2007-2008	77	52	86	51	7284	52
	Cum. Total*	204	49	263	51	20565	49
Partially Meets the Standards – The student’s work demonstrates incomplete understanding of essential concepts in mathematics and inconsistent connections among central ideas. The student’s responses demonstrate some ability to analyze and solve problems, and explain concepts. Problem solving strategies may be flawed, procedures performed inaccurately, methods not recorded and/or problems not completed. (scaled score 529–540)	2005-2006	11	8	16	9	3945	28
	2006-2007	14	11	15	9	3884	28
	2007-2008	13	9	16	9	3341	24
	Cum. Total*	38	9	47	9	11170	26
Does Not Meet the Standards – The student’s work demonstrates limited understanding of essential concepts in mathematics and infrequent or inaccurate connections among central ideas. The student’s responses demonstrate minimal ability to solve problems and explain concepts. Problem solving strategies and procedures are often flawed or inappropriate and there may be many omissions. (scaled score 500–528)	2005-2006	3	2	3	2	2434	17
	2006-2007	1	1	1	1	1683	12
	2007-2008	5	3	5	3	1778	13
	Cum. Total*	9	2	9	2	5895	14

Learning Results Content Standard Clusters	Number of Points Possible		Average Points Attained (Number and Percent)					
			School		SAU		State	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Cluster 1: Numbers and Operations	15	31	11.8	78.7	11.8	78.7	9.0	60.0
Cluster 2: Shape and Size	14	29	9.4	67.1	9.5	67.9	7.5	53.6
Cluster 3: Mathematical Decision Making	5	10	2.9	58.0	3.0	60.0	2.2	44.0
Cluster 4: Patterns	14	29	10.3	73.6	10.3	73.6	8.4	60.0

- Cluster 1: Numbers and Operations**
 A. Numbers and Number Sense
 B. Computation
 I. Discrete Mathematics (grades 3 and 4 only)
- Cluster 2: Shape and Size**
 E. Geometry
 F. Measurement
- Cluster 3: Mathematical Decision Making**
 C. Data Analysis and Statistics
 D. Probability
- Cluster 4: Patterns**
 G. Patterns, Relations, and Functions
 H. Algebra Concepts
 K. Mathematical Communication

Each content standard in the clusters above is defined in Maine’s 1997 *Learning Results*, which are the basis for Grade Level Expectations. Each item on the MEA measures a grade level expectation, which can be found at <http://www.maine.gov/education/lsalt/gles.htm>.

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	Tested	E		M		P		D		Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		N	%	%	%	%		N	%	%	%	%	
All Students	148	53	36	77	52	13	9	5	3	557	169	37	51	9	3	557	14020	12	52	24	13	546
Ethnicity																						
African American/Black	0										0						392	5	33	32	31	537
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0										0						116	5	42	31	22	540
Asian or Pacific Islander	1										1						198	16	59	15	11	549
Hispanic	0										0						173	5	45	30	20	541
Caucasian/White	147	53	36	76	52	13	9	5	3	557	168	37	51	10	3	557	13141	12	53	24	12	546
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Identified disability																						
Yes	33	3	9	20	61	6	18	4	12	545	39	13	54	23	10	546	2390	2	29	34	35	534
No	115	50	43	57	50	7	6	1	1	560	130	44	50	5	1	560	11630	13	57	22	8	548
Current LEP																						
Yes	1										1						330	4	36	27	33	536
No	147	53	36	76	52	13	9	5	3	557	168	37	51	10	3	557	13690	12	52	24	12	546
Economically disadvantaged																						
Yes	22	2	9	15	68	1	5	4	18	546	24	13	63	8	17	547	5461	5	46	30	19	541
No	126	51	40	62	49	12	10	1	1	558	145	41	49	10	1	559	8559	16	56	20	9	549
Migrant																						
Yes	0										0						5	0	60	40	0	544
No	148	53	36	77	52	13	9	5	3	557	169	37	51	9	3	557	14015	12	52	24	13	546
Gender																						
Female	65	23	35	37	57	4	6	1	2	558	76	34	58	7	1	558	6767	11	51	24	13	546
Male	83	30	36	40	48	9	11	4	5	556	93	39	45	12	4	556	7253	12	52	23	13	546
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Title 1A targeted program																						
Yes	0										1						1755	1	37	39	23	538
No	148	53	36	77	52	13	9	5	3	557	168	37	51	9	3	557	12265	13	54	22	11	547
Gifted/talented program																						
Yes	0										1						464	58	40	2	0	564
No	148	53	36	77	52	13	9	5	3	557	168	36	51	10	3	557	13556	10	52	25	13	545

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(QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS)

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QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS	School										SAU						State					
	Students in Each Category	E		M		P		D		Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		%	%	%	%	%		%	%	%	%	%	
How much homework do you do on school nights?																						
A. none	1	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	550	1	0	100	0	0	550	5	6	39	29	25	539
B. less than one hour	41	24	40	24	40	7	12	5	8	554	45	39	43	11	7	555	66	12	52	24	12	546
C. one to two hours	58	29	34	51	60	5	6	0	0	559	54	36	57	8	0	559	26	12	55	23	11	547
D. more than two hours	1	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	540	1	0	0	100	0	540	2	9	37	25	29	539
How well do the questions that you have just been given on this MEA test match what you have learned in school about mathematics?																						
A. The questions on the test match what I have learned in mathematics class.	50	33	46	32	44	5	7	2	3	560	51	46	44	7	2	560	38	16	56	19	8	549
B. They match some of what I have learned.	42	18	30	36	59	7	11	0	0	555	41	29	57	13	0	555	48	9	53	26	12	545
C. They match just a little of what I have learned.	8	2	18	5	45	1	9	3	27	546	8	23	46	8	23	549	10	6	37	32	24	539
D. There is no match.	1	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	544	1	0	100	0	0	544	3	3	24	29	45	532
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in mathematics?																						
A. very good	27	25	64	13	33	0	0	1	3	564	29	65	31	2	2	564	31	24	54	14	8	552
B. good	57	26	32	46	56	8	10	2	2	556	54	31	56	10	2	556	47	8	55	25	12	545
C. fair	15	2	10	13	62	4	19	2	10	548	16	12	62	19	8	549	19	2	43	35	20	539
D. poor	1	0	0	1	50	1	50	0	0	538	1	0	50	50	0	538	3	1	26	38	36	533
How difficult was the mathematics part of this test?																						
A. harder than my regular schoolwork	6	2	22	6	67	1	11	0	0	551	7	27	55	18	0	552	18	5	42	30	22	540
B. about the same as my regular schoolwork	66	29	30	57	59	9	9	1	1	556	63	29	60	9	1	556	66	11	55	23	11	547
C. easier than my regular schoolwork	28	22	54	12	29	3	7	4	10	560	30	56	28	8	8	561	17	20	51	19	10	549
How often do you use hands-on materials in mathematics class?																						
A. almost every day	51	31	41	39	52	4	5	1	1	559	51	44	48	7	1	559	21	10	48	26	16	544
B. two or three days a week	27	12	31	24	62	3	8	0	0	557	29	31	63	6	0	558	36	13	54	23	10	547
C. two or three times each month	17	9	36	9	36	3	12	4	16	553	15	35	35	15	15	552	27	12	54	23	11	547
D. never or almost never	5	1	13	4	50	3	38	0	0	546	5	13	50	38	0	546	15	10	49	25	16	544
How often do you use calculators in mathematics class?																						
A. almost every day	23	20	61	12	36	1	3	0	0	563	22	61	36	3	0	564	7	12	44	25	19	543
B. two or three days a week	57	25	30	51	61	6	7	1	1	557	57	33	58	8	1	558	30	13	53	23	11	547
C. two or three times each month	12	6	35	6	35	2	12	3	18	551	13	33	43	10	14	553	34	12	54	23	10	547
D. never or almost never	9	2	15	7	54	3	23	1	8	545	9	13	53	27	7	545	29	9	50	25	16	544
On average, how many minutes a day do you spend working on mathematics in class?																						
A. less than 30 minutes	3	0	0	2	50	1	25	1	25	538	2	0	50	25	25	538	7	7	40	25	28	539
B. 30–45 minutes	7	1	10	4	40	3	30	2	20	543	6	10	40	30	20	543	31	7	49	29	15	543
C. 45–60 minutes	12	3	18	13	76	0	0	1	6	552	11	22	72	0	6	553	40	12	55	23	10	547
D. more than 60 minutes	79	49	42	57	49	9	8	1	1	559	81	42	49	9	1	559	23	18	54	19	9	549
Optional school/SAU question																						
A.	0										0											
B.	50	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	550	50	0	100	0	0	550						
C.	50	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	532	50	0	0	100	0	532						
D.	0										0											

ELA-WRITING RESULTS

Test Date: March 2008
Grade: 5
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ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL DEFINITIONS		STUDENTS AT EACH ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL					
		School		SAU		State	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
Exceeds the Standards – The student’s response demonstrates the skillful ability to use mode, style, tone, and word choices to achieve the desired purpose for the writing. The response is well-organized and clearly focused, demonstrating clear coherence and smooth progression of ideas and free of most errors in grammar, usage, and mechanics. (scaled score 561–580)	2005-2006 2006-2007 2007-2008 Cum. Total*	3 0	2 0	4 0	2 0	260 46	2 0
Meets the Standards – The student’s response demonstrates the ability to use mode, style, tone, and word choices to achieve the desired purpose for the writing. The response is well-organized and focused, demonstrating coherence and progression of ideas and generally free of most errors in grammar, usage, and mechanics. (scaled score 541–560)	2005-2006 2006-2007 2007-2008 Cum. Total*	83 102	69 69	116 117	72 69	7844 6041	56 43
Partially Meets the Standards – The student’s response demonstrates inconsistent ability to use mode, style, tone, and word choices to achieve the desired purpose for the writing. The response is generally organized and focused, but may demonstrate some lapses in coherence or progression of ideas and may contain errors in grammar, usage, and mechanics. (scaled score 521–540)	2005-2006 2006-2007 2007-2008 Cum. Total*	35 44	29 30	42 50	26 30	5365 7330	38 52
Does Not Meet the Standards – The student’s response demonstrates limited ability to use mode, style, tone, and word choices to achieve the desired purpose for the writing. The response is poorly organized and/or focused and may contain an accumulation of errors in grammar, usage, and mechanics that interferes with understanding. (scaled score 500–520)	2005-2006 2006-2007 2007-2008 Cum. Total*	0 2	0 1	0 2	0 1	524 555	4 4

Learning Results Content Standard Cluster	Number of Points Possible		Average Points Attained (Number and Percent)					
			School		SAU		State	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total Writing (Standards F & G)	20	100	12.1	60.5	12.0	60.0	10.7	53.5
Stylistic and Rhetorical Aspects of Writing (Standard G)	12	60	6.4	53.3	6.4	53.3	5.6	46.7
Standard English Conventions (Standard F)	8	40	5.7	71.3	5.7	71.3	5.1	63.8

The MEA assesses students’ writing skills through their responses to one common prompt. The goal is to provide an opportunity for students to write a narrative response. Content standards F and G are defined in Maine’s 1997 *Learning Results* which can be found at <http://www.maine.gov/education/lsalt/gles.htm>.

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REPORTING CATEGORIES	School										SAU						State					
	Tested	E		M		P		D		Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		N	%	%	%	%		N	%	%	%	%	
All Students	148	0	0	102	69	44	30	2	1	542	169	0	69	30	1	542	13972	0	43	52	4	538
Ethnicity																						
African American/Black	0										0						382	0	31	57	11	534
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0										0						116	0	28	66	6	534
Asian or Pacific Islander	1										1						196	2	55	42	2	541
Hispanic	0										0						170	0	29	62	9	535
Caucasian/White	147	0	0	101	69	44	30	2	1	542	168	0	69	30	1	542	13108	0	44	52	4	538
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Identified disability																						
Yes	33	0	0	12	36	19	58	2	6	535	39	0	38	56	5	535	2372	0	12	72	16	529
No	115	0	0	90	78	25	22	0	0	544	130	0	78	22	0	544	11600	0	50	48	1	539
Current LEP																						
Yes	1										1						319	0	30	58	12	533
No	147	0	0	101	69	44	30	2	1	542	168	0	69	30	1	542	13653	0	44	52	4	538
Economically disadvantaged																						
Yes	22	0	0	13	59	7	32	2	9	538	24	0	58	33	8	537	5435	0	32	61	7	535
No	126	0	0	89	71	37	29	0	0	543	145	0	71	29	0	543	8537	0	50	47	2	539
Migrant																						
Yes	0										0						5	0	40	60	0	538
No	148	0	0	102	69	44	30	2	1	542	169	0	69	30	1	542	13967	0	43	52	4	538
Gender																						
Female	65	0	0	53	82	11	17	1	2	545	76	0	79	20	1	544	6750	1	55	43	2	540
Male	83	0	0	49	59	33	40	1	1	540	93	0	61	38	1	541	7222	0	33	61	6	535
Not Reported	0										0						0					
Title 1A targeted program																						
Yes	0										1						1745	0	26	69	5	534
No	148	0	0	102	69	44	30	2	1	542	168	0	69	30	1	542	12227	0	46	50	4	538
Gifted/talented program																						
Yes	0										1						464	2	74	23	0	545
No	148	0	0	102	69	44	30	2	1	542	168	0	69	30	1	542	13508	0	42	53	4	537

E = Exceeds the Standards M = Meets the Standards P = Partially Meets the Standards D = Does Not Meet the Standards

NOTE: Some achievement level results have been left blank because fewer than five (5) students were tested. N = Number

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(QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS)

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	Students in Each Category	E		M		P		D		Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		%	%	%	%	%		%	%	%	%	%	
How much homework do you do on school nights?																						
A. none	1	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	542	1	0	100	0	0	542	5	0	29	57	14	533
B. less than one hour	41	0	0	31	52	27	45	2	3	539	45	0	57	41	3	540	66	0	44	52	3	538
C. one to two hours	58	0	0	69	81	16	19	0	0	545	54	0	80	20	0	544	26	0	45	52	3	538
D. more than two hours	1	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	528	1	0	0	100	0	528	2	0	28	60	12	533
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a writer?																						
A. very good	28	0	0	28	70	11	28	1	3	543	25	0	71	26	2	543	25	1	54	42	3	540
B. good	54	0	0	59	76	18	23	1	1	543	57	0	74	24	1	543	50	0	46	51	3	538
C. fair	17	0	0	13	54	11	46	0	0	539	16	0	56	44	0	539	22	0	29	65	6	535
D. poor	2	0	0	0	0	3	100	0	0	528	2	0	0	100	0	528	3	0	18	63	19	530
How difficult was the writing part of this test?																						
A. harder than my regular schoolwork	5	0	0	4	50	4	50	0	0	536	6	0	60	40	0	538	14	0	33	56	10	535
B. about that same as my regular schoolwork	75	0	0	73	67	36	33	0	0	542	74	0	68	32	0	543	65	0	45	52	3	538
C. easier than my regular schoolwork	20	0	0	23	79	4	14	2	7	543	20	0	73	21	6	542	21	0	45	51	4	538
Optional school/SAU question																						
A.	0										0											
B.	50	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	536	50	0	0	100	0	536						
C.	50	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	536	50	0	0	100	0	536						
D.	0										0											